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If Secretary Gage represents the republican financial policy, and the fact that he has been asked by Mr. McKinley to remain at the head of the Treasury department during the next administration is good evidence that he does, a movement for the absolute retirement not only of the greenbacks, but of all paper money issued by the government, may be expected in the near future, although the intention to do so was most vigorously denied by many republicans, during the recent campaign. Mr. Gage's position has been pretty generally known for sometime, and he has just emphasized it in a lecture on Finance, in which he said: "The public Treasury is a poor agency for issuing paper money."

Many people worry because they believe they have heart disease. The chances are that their hearts are all right but their stomachs are unable to digest food. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure digests what eat and prevents the formation of gas which makes the stomach press against the heart. It will cure every form of indigestion. S. J. Carson.

## News Notes.

Attorney-General Griggs announced his intention of retiring from the Cabinet March 4 next.

Gen. Miles, annual report urges the reorganization of the army on a broader scale.

Census returns place the population of Hawaii at 154,001, an increase of 41.2 per cent. since 1890.

A case to prevent cigarette manufacturers from putting pictures in packages of their product is to be tried in the United States Circuit Court of Appeals at Richmond.

Tammany has begun the promised crusade against vice in New York city. The committee of five appointed by Mr. Croker for this purpose, held its first meeting last Friday and invited every citizen of New York to produce evidence that will suppress the dives or prove public officials guilty of connivance with criminal vice. In an interview in regard to the move Mr. Croker said: "This crusade is going to be continued with the utmost severity. The Tammany special committee investigate the East Side to see if what the newspapers say is true. If they find vice they will get evidence. If a district leader is responsible he'll have no further business with Tammany Hall. If any policeman, a police captain, a sergeant, a wardman, has got anything to do with it he will never wear his uniform again. It'll be the end of him."

The report that ancient records have been found in Pekin showing that the Chinese discovered America 1,500 years ago and erected temples in Mexico has aroused great interest among scientific men throughout this country.

There no pleasure in life if you dread going to the table to eat and can't rest at night on account of indigestion. Henry Williams, of Booneville, Ind., says he suffered that way for years, till he commenced the use of Kodol Dyspepsia Cure, and adds, "Now I can eat anything I like and all I want and sleep soundly every night. Kodol Dyspepsia Cure will digest what you eat."

## A Visit To Nassau.

In the days of wintry gloom and cloudy skies there is a charm in reading of sunnier spots, particularly if the story is well illustrated. In the December number of the Delineator the Capitol of the Bahamas is described by Laura B. Starr. The next best thing to visiting such a place is to read of it as pleasantly described as Miss Starr has succeeded in doing. One of her snap shots shows an aged negro woman trying to ride a bicycle. The "bicycle face" is in strong evidence.

Both makers and circulators of counterfeiters commit fraud. Honest men will not deceive you into buying worthless counterfeits of De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve. The original is infallible for curing piles, but injuries, eczema and skin diseases. S. J. Carson.

## Tenth District Majorities.

	Flood.	Hubard
Alleghany county,		108
Amherst county,	733	
Appomattox county,	1180	
Augusta and Staunton,	857	
Bath county,		48
Botetourt county,		6
Buckingham county,	463	
Cumberland county,	196	
Fluvanna county,	150	
Highland county,	8	
Nelson county,	623	
Rockbridge county,		497
	3770	650

Flood's majority, 3,120.

## B. Hiner Hansel.

The subject of this sketch was born Oct. 9th, 1859 in Crabbottom, Highland County, Va. He was the son of John H. and Margaret Hansel, estimable christian parents who gave their children excellent training, as their lives attest. About twenty three years ago when Brother Hansel was in his eighteenth year Rev. Dr. C. S. M. See a minister of the Presbyterian church held a meeting in Crabbottom, Va., then Mr. Hansel's home. One of those who made a profession of faith in Christ then, was B. Hiner Hansel. He connected himself with the Presbyterian church and was ever after a faithful and enthusiastic member of that church. For sometime he felt the obligation resting on him to enter the ministry and cherished the earnest hope of doing so until ill health and the responsibilities of family ties forced him to abandon very sorrowfully and reluctantly this fondest desire. But though in the providence of God precluded from serving Him in the highest capacity, he was no less faithful in the discharge of his religious duties, and the good that he was permitted to do by the grace of God, who shall estimate?

Some years ago at an election of officers held in the McDowell Presbyterian church he was elected an elder but the resignation of the pastor just at that time and the want of a regular minister sometime after together, perhaps, with his own diffidence in assuming responsibility delayed his ordination. He was the efficient superintendent of the Sabbath School at his death, and was always willing and prompt in doing every thing he could for the advancement of Christ's Kingdom on earth. He had been superintendent of public schools in Highland County for six years, and discharged the duties of his office with a conscientiousness commendable to all public officials.

Brother Hansel was taken sick about the 1st of November of typhoid fever. He had been complaining several days before he took his bed. From the very first he seemed to have felt that his sickness "was unto death." Consequently he made every preparation that he could possibly make with reference to his business affairs. He did not seem at all hopeful of recovery at the very first but as the progress of his disease seemed so steady and favorable his friends and loved ones while all the time anxious were very hopeful that God would be pleased to spare him. During his illness he expressed a perfect willingness to submit to God's will in everything. If it were His will to take him now he was willing to go. The turn for the worse came in his disease last Thursday the 15th and on Monday the 19th he had several sinking spells growing gradually weaker all the time until the end came about dark Monday evening. The whole community sustains a severe loss, and the county of Highland has few such men to spare. He leaves behind to mourn his loss two brothers and two sisters, a wife and four young children.

Mr. Hansel was a most unassuming man. One had to know him to appreciate his sterling worth. He was kind and gentle to every one, always ready to do a favor but always doing so in a quiet matter-of-fact way. A gentleman remarked on returning from the grave, "It will be many a day before we lay away another such a man as Hiner Hansel. I consider him as near a perfect gentleman as I ever saw." This but expresses the sentiment of a large number of friends.

A simple service was conducted in the Presbyterian church by the pastor assisted by Rev John Ruff of Monterey and Rev Mr Weikle of the McDowell Methodist church. His remains were laid away in the McDowell cemetery.

His loss seems almost irreparable and yet it is not for us to murmur at God's will in thus taking him from us but the rather to thank Him that He permitted such a one to live among us and to exemplify before us such a high type of christian and civic virtues. And so bowing submissively to God's inscrutable wisdom let us ask His blessing upon the bereaved loved ones he has left behind. Pastor.

De Witt's Witch Hazel Salve will quickly heal the worst burns and scalds and not leave a scar. It can be applied to cuts and raw surface with prompt and soothing effect. Use it for piles and skin diseases. Beware of worthless counterfeits. S. J. Carson.

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50c and \$1.00 all druggists.

## The Irl R. Hicks 1901 Almanac.

Whatever may be said of the scientific causes upon which the Rev. Irl R. Hicks bases his yearly forecasts of storm and weather, it is a remarkable fact that specific warnings of every great storm, flood, cold wave and drought, have been plainly printed in his now famous Almanac for many years. The latest startling proof of this fact was the destruction of Galveston, Texas, on the very day named by Prof. Hicks in his 1900 Almanac, as one of disaster by storm along the gulf coasts. The 1901 Almanac, by far the finest, most complete and beautiful yet published, is now ready. This remarkable book of near two hundred pages, splendidly illustrated with charts and half-tone engravings, goes as a premium to every subscriber who pays one dollar a year for Prof. Hicks' journal, Word and Works. The Almanac alone is sent prepaid for only 25c. Order from Word and Works Publishing Company, 2201 Locust Street, St. Louis, Mo.

We have been wondering whether or not the rise in trust salt had anything to do with the voyages up salt river.

## Made Young Again

"One of Dr King's New Life Pills each night for two weeks has put me in my 'teens' again" writes D H Turner of Dempseytown, Pa. They're the best in the world for Liver, Stomach and Bowels. Purely vegetable. Never gripe. Only 25c at S J Carson's drug store.

## Strait Creek Items.

Nov. 19, 1900.

Miss Ollie Wilson is visiting friends at Green Hill.

Mrs. J. Waggoner visited her father, Mr. Suddarth, of Crabbottom last week.

Miss Bertie Peck formerly of Crabbottom is spending a few weeks with her mother Mrs Philip Eagle of this place.

Mr William Rexrode and Mr Garber are in our midst again.

Mr A W Beverage made a flying trip to Pendleton Sunday.

Mrs I. M. Waggoner and little daughter Eva are visiting friends of this place.

Mr Ezra Beverage and wife of Doe Hill spent Thursday night with his parents Mr and Mrs Josiah Beverage.

Mr Jacob Vandevander and daughters Misses Maggie and Sallie spent Sunday with Mrs Etta Rexrode.

Mrs Stewart Wimer is on the sick list.

We are glad to hear that Mrs. W. W. Samples is improving.

Miss Lucy Eagle who has been making her home in Crabbottom spent Saturday and Sunday at home.

Mrs J W Simmons of Forks of Waters visited her daughter Mrs T. S. Waggoner last week.

Our Schools are progressing nicely under the management of Mr Cecil Ralston and Miss Clara Seybert. Haly.

## At John A. Whitelaw's

When it comes to my line of ladies' capes and jackets I do not fear competition. When I selected these goods I was careful to get the styles that are worn this season. As to prices I think it will pay you to examine my stock before you make your purchase.

## LEFT-OVER BOOTS.

Boots carried over from last season have the advantage over those purchased this year, because they came under old time prices. If you will let me fit you in a pair you get that advantage.

## SHOE TALK.

All I ask is that my large and varied assortment of ladies' and gentlemen's shoes, now on the shelves, receive a careful inspection at your hands. I have no fear that I will be unable to please you, for in this department it is a rare thing that I ever miss a sale, because of the superior line I handle. The trade demanded, first, a large stock to select from, second, a varied assortment and third, the very latest and most proper thing in high grade shoes. I have combined the three.

AS I WAS GOING TO REMARK, in this matter of clothing—suits for boys and men—had you ever thought there is a vast difference in the way they are cut and made? Some suits fit in a way; you get your size in inches, that's about all. They haven't the proper set and don't hang right. They are cheaply made. In buying your winter suit have an eye to this. The firm from which I buy my clothing has a wide reputation as to the perfect fitting of its garments. They are beautifully made, set well and hang properly from the first. I simply ask that you look through my stock. No "away back" numbers to go over.

## SPEAKING OF MY STOCK.

In a general way, I would say that my store is now well filled with seasonable goods, and I again hope for a share of your patronage. As has been my custom I shall continue to handle all marketable produce.

Respectfully,  
John A. Whitelaw.

## Prices Go Up On Necessities.

"There are no trusts," yet one of Richmond's leading wholesale and retail grocers says:

"There has been an advance all along the line from five to forty per cent."

Many grocers say that some articles still have an upward tendency. Butchers and meat dealers report an advance in prices of the commodities they handle. The increase reported in groceries is as follows: Flour, 40 per cent.; bacon, 40 per cent.; canned goods, 10 per cent.; eggs, 10 per cent.; butter, 10 per cent.; except bacon, about 4 per cent.; potatoes, 5 cents per bushel; canned salmon, 90 per cent.; sardines, nearly 100 per cent.; currants, 90 per cent.; cheese, 50 per cent.; and condensed milk, 25 per cent.

The price on fresh meats to the consumers has not advanced as yet, though Western dressed beef has been increased 1 cent a pound to dealers, and pork 1 1/2 cents. Butchers in the markets who handle home-raised beef report cattle very scarce. Lamb and veal have not changed as many of the butchers say that it is already as high as they can handle it. Poultry dealers say turkeys are plentiful and there has been a reduction of 2 1/2 cents per pound on them; chickens are selling for from 15 to 35 cents each. Ducks 35 to 65 cents. These prices apply to dressed poultry.

Salt and coffee have both advanced, while sugar has fallen off 15 points. One or two grocers said this morning to reporter for the Richmond News that they had expected a rise in the market prices and had bought goods before it came, these goods they say, they will sell at the former prices. Nearly every dealer said that they expected the markets to go still higher.

## Notice to Road Contractors.

As all the cattle have been moved out of the county, I now insist that all road contractors in my district, at once set about opening ditches, fixing breaks, picking loose rocks and otherwise repairing their sections, and have the work completed by Dec. 1st.

JOHN MACKAY,  
Road Com'r Monterey Dist.

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are the best liver pills ever made. Easy to take and never gripe. S. J. Carson

## Six Frightful Failures.

Six terrible failures of six different doctors nearly sent Wm H Mullen of Lockland, O., to an early grave. All said he had a fatal lung trouble and that he must soon die. But he was urged to try Dr King's New Discovery for Consumption. After taking five bottles he was entirely cured. It is positively guaranteed to cure all diseases of throat, chest and lungs, including Coughs, Colds, LaGrippe, Pneumonia, Bronchitis, Asthma, Hay Fever, Croup, Whooping Cough, 50c and \$1.00. Trial bottles free at S J Carson's drug store.

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Kidney trouble causes quick or unsteady heart beats, and makes one feel as though they had heart trouble, because the heart is over-working in pumping thick, kidney-poisoned blood through veins and arteries. It used to be considered that only urinary troubles were to be traced to the kidneys, but now modern science proves that nearly all constitutional diseases have their beginning in kidney trouble.

If you are sick you can make no mistake by first doctoring your kidneys. The mild and extraordinary effect of Dr. Kilmer's Swamp-Root, the great kidney remedy is soon realized. It stands the highest for its wonderful cures of the most distressing cases and is sold on its merits by all druggists in fifty-cent and one-dollar sizes. You may have a free bottle by mail, free, also pamphlet telling you how to find out if you have kidney or bladder trouble. Mention this paper when writing Dr. Kilmer & Co., Binghamton, N. Y.

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## Notice To Taxpayers

I will be at the following places, in the County of Highland, at the times herein stated, prepared to receive all State, County, School and Road taxes, for the year 1900.

At New Hampden, October 25th, 1900  
" Crabbottom, " 29th "  
" Valley Center, " 30th "  
" Green Hill, " 31st "  
" Hightown, November, 6th, "  
" Reed's Store, " 8th "  
" Clover Creek, " 13th "  
" P H Hupman's, " 14th "  
" Stewart's Mill, " 15th "  
" Doe Hill, " 16th "  
" McDowell, " 20th "  
" Monterey " 21, 23, 24, 26, 27, 28 and 30 1900.

On all days, when not advertised to be elsewhere, the tax books will be at my office in Monterey.

On the first day of December, 1900, Five Per Centum Penalty will be added, upon all unpaid taxes and levies, for the year 1900, and the same together with, all unpaid taxes, licenses &c. for preceding years will be turned over to officers for collection as required by law.

J. A. JONES, Treas. of Highland Co.

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For sale by John A. Whitelaw.

## Commissioner's Office.

Monterey, Va., Nov. 23, 1900.

To R L Telford, and all other creditors of A T Stephenson, dec'd, O. A. Stephenson adm'r of A T Stephenson, dec'd, Allie F. Stephenson, widow of said A. T. Stephenson dec'd, Fannie M Lanier, nee Stephenson, Sallie Stephenson, Mary Stephenson, Alexander S. Stephenson and George E. Stephenson.

You are hereby notified that I have fixed upon Monday the 17th day of December, 1900, at my office in Monterey, Va. to state, settle and adjust the following accounts:

First. An account of the transactions of O A Stephenson adm'r of A T Stephenson, dec'd.

Second. An account of the personal assets belonging to said estate.

Third. An account of the debts against the same, showing their dignities and priorities and if any unpaid taxes.

Fourth. An account of the real estate in the bill mentioned with its annual and fee simple value, which accounts are required to be taken by an order of the Circuit Court for Highland County, entered on the 28th day of September, 1900, in a suit in Chancery therein pending between

R L Telford &c, Plaintiffs, and A. T. Stephenson's adm'r &c. Defendants, at which time and place you are required to attend.

Given under my hand and as Commissioner in Chancery of the Circuit and County Courts of said County, the day and year aforesaid, O. WILSON, Jones, p. q.

11-23-00

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